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THIS ISSUE'S HIGHLIGHT - LES ACTUALITÉS



Call for Applications for Assistant Professors (Clinical)

The Department of Psychiatry and the **Jewish General Hospital** are currently inviting applications for a full-time position at the rank of Assistant Professor (Clinical) in Psychosis. [Apply here](#)

In addition, the Department of Psychiatry and the **Montreal Children's Hospital** are currently inviting applications for two full-time positions at the rank of Assistant Professor (Clinical). [Apply here](#)



REMINDER - Call for Applications: Leyton Addiction Research Prize

The Department of Psychiatry is inviting students and trainees who have published an addiction-related paper to apply for the 2024 Leyton Addiction Research Prize. Each year a prize of \$1,000 is awarded to the trainee who has published the best addictions-related paper. Applicants should complete the [application form](#) and send an electronic copy of the paper plus supplementary on-line information (if any) to communications.psychiatry@mcgill.ca by **April 30, 2024**. Due to technical issues, if you

have already submitted your application, please resubmit it [here](#).

KUDOS - FÉLICITATIONS!



Dr. Michael Meaney named a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences

Dr. Michael Meaney has been named a member in the Social and Behavioral Sciences class of the [American Academy of Arts and Sciences](#). The 250 members elected in 2024 are being recognized for their excellence and invited to uphold the Academy's mission of engaging across disciplines and divides. Congratulations Dr. Meaney!

OUR EXPERTS IN THE MEDIA - NOS SPÉCIALISTES DANS LES MÉDIAS

Dr. Robert Whitley, Kiplinger

Why so many men are bad at retirement. [Read more](#)

Dr. Éric Latimer, ICI Radio-Canada

Démanteler ou tolérer les campements de sans-abris? La question divise les villes. [Lire ici](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS - ÉVÉNEMENTS À VENIR

April 29 (11:00 - 12:00) Neuroscience for Mental Health Seminar

Different animals achieve similar behavior through preserved neural dynamics by Dr. Matthew G. Perich, PhD, Assistant Professor, Department of Neuroscience, Université de Montréal. The talk will be held in person in the Bowerman Room at the Douglas Institute.

[Read more](#)

April 29 (12:00 - 13:00)

May 6 (11:00 - 12:00) Special Neuroscience Seminar

New tools to probe the brain with light by Dr. Marie-Eve Paquet, PhD, Associate Professor, Department of Biochemistry, Microbiology & Bioinformatics, Laval University and Dr. Yves de Koninck, PhD, Professor, Department of Psychiatry & Neuroscience, Laval University. Hybrid event. [Read more](#)

May 13 (11:00 - 12:00) Special Neuroscience Seminar

New seminar on experiential science

Advancing Adolescents: AI Applications in Youth Mental Health sponsored by the Centre of Excellence in Youth Mental Health. Online event broadcast by Zoom. [Read more](#)

May 2 (12:00 - 13:00) Psychosocial Research Rounds

Trusty Bits: Psychosis, Digital Cultures, and the Future of Social Psychiatry by Dr. Vincent Paquin, MD, Psychiatry Resident, McGill University, PhD Student in Psychiatric Epidemiology, Maastricht University. Hybrid event. [Read more](#)

May 3 (8:30 - 12:30) Quebec Child Mental Health Research Day

The Quebec Child Mental Health Research Day is a popular event bringing together Quebec child psychiatrists and mental health researchers to inform participants of what is happening in this area. Please come and join us at this informative half-day conference titled *Diagnosis and Treatment of Tic Disorder and Tourette's Syndrome and their Comorbidities*. [Details and registration](#)

Spatial Omic Mapping of Human Brain Disorders by Dr. Yang Xiao, PhD, Postdoctoral Researcher, Department of Biomedical Engineering, Columbia University. This talk will be held at the Bowerman Room, Douglas Institute. [Read more](#)

May 30 (12:00 - 13:30) Departmental Distinguished Grand Rounds

Interventional Psychiatry: from bench to bedside by Dr. Valerie Voon, MD, PhD, Professor of Neuropsychiatry and Neuromodulation, University of Cambridge, Distinguished Professor, ISTBI, Fudan University. Hybrid event. Details will follow.